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Governor Gray Davis  
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Dear Governor Davis:

I am writing this letter to urge you to take affirmative action in connection with the CALFED Bay/Delta program.

The concept of building more dams in the State of California is so ridiculous it passes understanding; especially at a time when the need to remove existing dams has become so apparent. We should invest in more efficient water use, enforcement of pollution limits, and restoration of rivers, bays, and fisheries before any consideration whatever of building expensive and destructive dams. We should also stop allocating tax funds for the studies of new dams and reservoirs for at least seven years.

I hope you will make improved water quality, protection of water sheds and fisheries, and the restoration of healthy rivers your top priority in the area of water use.

Very truly yours,

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cc: Mr. Tom Hannigan  
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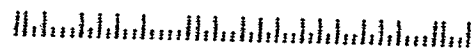
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